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PETITION FOR INVESTIGATION OF
QUESTION CONCERNING REPRESENTATION☐ Amended Petition in Case _____

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RELATIONS COMMISSIONInstructions: www.perc.wa.gov/Forms/E-1-inst.pdf Applicable Rules: Chapters 10-08, 391-08 and 391-25 WAC.

1. PARTIES The petitioner claims that a question concerning representation exists involving certain employees of the employer named below.

EMPLOYER King CountyATTORNEY OR
REPRESENTATIVE _____CONTACT PERSON David S. Levin

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PETITIONER Teamsters Local Union No. 117ATTORNEY OR
REPRESENTATIVE _____CONTACT PERSON Leonard SmithADDRESS Spencer Nathan ThalADDRESS 14675 Interurban Avenue South, Suite 307

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CITY, STATE, ZIP Tukwila, WA 98168CITY, STATE, ZIP Tukwila, WA 98168TELEPHONE (206) 441-4860 ext. _____TELEPHONE (206) 441-4860 ext. _____FAX (206) 441-3153FAX (206) 441-3153E-MAIL leonard.smith@teamsters117.orgE-MAIL spencer.thal@teamsters117.orgINCUMBENT BARGAINING REPRESENTATIVE *Indicate one.*☐ The parties are not currently represented for bargaining; OR☒ The employees involved are currently represented by the organization below:ATTORNEY OR
REPRESENTATIVE _____ORGANIZATION Technical Employees' AssociationREPRESENTATIVE Jim ClineCONTACT PERSON Roger Browne, PresidentADDRESS 1001 Fourth Avenue, Suite 2301ADDRESS PO Box 4353CITY, STATE, ZIP Seattle, WA 98194-0353CITY, STATE, ZIP Seattle, WA 98154TELEPHONE (206) 684-1950 ext. _____TELEPHONE (206) 838-8770 ext. _____

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E-MAIL jcline@clinelawfirm.com2. DESIGNATION OF REQUEST *Indicate one.*☐ **RECOGNITION REQUEST** The petitioner requests certification as exclusive representative of the bargaining unit.☒ **CHANGE OF REPRESENTATIVE** The employees in the bargaining unit desire to designate the petitioner as their exclusive bargaining representative.☐ **DECERTIFICATION** The employees in the bargaining unit no longer wish to be represented by any employee organization.☐ **EMPLOYER PETITION - DEMAND FOR RECOGNITION** The employer has been presented with one or more demands for recognition (per attached documentation) and requests a determination by the Commission.☐ **EMPLOYER PETITION - INCUMBENCY QUESTIONED** The employer has a good faith belief (per attached documentation) that a majority of employees no longer desire to representation by the incumbent bargaining representative.4. OTHER RELEVANT FACTS *Indicate one.*☐ Additional information is set forth on separate sheets of paper attached to this petition.

5. SHOWING OF INTEREST

A petition filed by an organization or employees must be accompanied by a showing of interest indicating that the petitioner has the support of 30% or more of the employees in the bargaining unit.

3. BARGAINING UNIT

EMPLOYER'S PRINCIPAL BUSINESS County Government DEPARTMENT OR DIVISION INVOLVED Transportation, TransitCOLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT *Indicate one.*☒ The parties have never had a contract; OR☐ A copy of the parties' current (or most recent) collective bargaining agreement is attached.NUMBER OF
EMPLOYEES
IN UNIT 64DESCRIPTION *Indicate inclusions, exclusions, contract page or case/decision number.*
All employees in the Design and Construction section of the Transit Division of the Department of Transportation, excluding supervisors, managers, confidential employees, short term temporary employees and all other employees of the Employer.

6. AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE FOR PETITIONER

PRINT NAME Spencer Nathan ThalTITLE General CounselSIGNATURE [Signature]DATE 7 October 2008

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on this 7th day of October 2008, I caused the original of Teamsters Local Union No. 117's Petition for Investigation of Question Concerning Representation (with attachments) sent via email and certified mail, return receipt requested to:

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